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BY JUDGE CLARK.

I hardly know whether I was in love with rattie Brown or not. She wae one of those artful, bewitching minxs who often leave a man in doubt as to whether his heart is

Which was my case, if the reader is able to judge, he can do more than I can. Pattie would sigh, and languish, and talk sentiment to my heart's content; but whenever I sought to

I was determined, at bring matters to a crisis.

of a grand masqued ball, at which I had no doubt Pattie would be is, I resolved his sober senses. take nothing or an answer.

1.38 P. M. 5.03 A. M. with pride, and those of the Capu-

lets to burst with envy. 'How stunning Smith looks,' I heard more than once whispered, as I roamed up and down in search of Pattie. But Pattie wasn't there, or if she was, her disguise was too complete to be penetrated.

As I walked anxiously about, my attention was attracted by the most piquant of shepherdesses, whose movements betrayed a perplexity equal to my own. As she passed her steps faltered.

'Pardon me, sir; I feel fain,' she murmured, resting her hand upon my arm, as if for momentary dryly. Allow me to conduct you to the

She thanked me gracefully and Northern bound train; making the quickest assented, explaining that she was a stranger, and had become seperated ed. from her friends. The cool air revived her; and,

> after a short walk through the grounds, her strength and spirits Her conversation was vivacious and poety, I found that in the field

of sentiment she could beat Pattie bestowing my ring upon him! And two to one. In fact, I couldn't help think how tame Pattie's rhap. bestowing beigand was no other posed folly. In this campaign Mr. sodies, over which I had been wont to go into ecstacies, would sound in outbursts of the little sheperdess. In a retired nook, almost hidden

by the shrubbery, we found a rustic seat of which we took possession, feeling, or feigning to feel, weariness after our walk.

The moon shone out in uncloud. Livery, Sale and Exchange ed majesty; and beneath her radithe day, week or month. Having a good stock of hors s always on hand, he will sell or exchange on reasonable terms. He will

I fairly lost my reeson. So the

reader will think when I relate that, without further ceremony, I threw myself on my knees, to the no small detriment of Romeo's finest hose; in the mountains of North Carolina, aud producing the ring I had purchased for Pattie, I incontinently father was a most respected merchplaced it on the shepherdess' engagement finger. I entreated her to Baird, was one of the trusted citizens wear it for the sake of one thence of Buncombe, for many years choforward doomed to be her slave, and sen as their representative in the who sought no other boon than that General Assembly.

a dying of unrequitted love. Heavens knows to what pitch of absurdity I should have gone, had herself to his training with the lovnot the little shepherdess, who seemed not unmoved by my appeal —indeed she turned aside her head and fairly shook with some sort of emotion—interrupted me with the

exclamation: 'Stay !-there's one of

friends. I sprang to my feet, but not befor I had imprinted one kiss upon her lips, clasped her, for one brief had an inquiring mind. He read moment, to my throbbing breast.

by a fierce looking brigand who too,

the point, and obtain a categorical it's wonderful how clearly he sees five years ago predicted his subsethe point, and obtain a categorical answer, she would dodge the issue with as much skill as a veteran white shepherdess was gone. And what the University of North Carolina, all, had she ever been to me? A

my eye fell upon a object that struck It was not long before his 'getting and when one-fourth of the State style that would have caused the me dumb. It was the identical past the Judge was not the subject was overrun by contending armies, hearts or the Montagues to swell ring I had given the shepherdess on of doubt. attie's finger ! 'Were you at the ball last night?'

> to relieve my embarrassment. 'I-Iwas,' stammered, guiltily. 'So was Cousin Charlie,' said

'Cousin Charlie?' I have repeated; I 'havn't the honor to know 'No,' repled pattie; 'he only

visit. You can't imagine how handsome he is! 'I dare not say,' I answored,

Pattie with feeling. 'He went to the ball last night Clingman swung around to the as a shepherdess,' she continued. 'The-dhuce he did!' I interupt- ascendancy, netwithstanding his

made love to him, and hugged and Senate, he resigned his seat, it was kissed him into the bargain!' I staid to hear no more. It was, man strong in debate and of an inthen, 'Cousin Charlie whom I had fluential family, would easily fill embraced and kissed and made my the vacancy. When Mr. Vance self a fool over, to say nothing of announced his intention to oppose

than Pattie Brown herself. I have only to add that Pattie played those qualities of a stump comparison with the transcendent and cousin Charlie were married in orator and leader of men for which less than a month.

> Because She was Too Short, He Left Her at Home Too Long.

Beecher case are now in process of his power of presenting arguments would bring not only disgrace, but solution by a court and jury; but and facts in an interesting light, ruin to the State. He therefore ence, the flowers and blossoms the moral aspects are still appro- his consummate tact and winning struggled with unfaltering constan which surrounded us, gemmed with priate subjects for newspaper dis- ways, 'he stole away the hearts of cy for Southern success until the

statement, that the primary cause prodecessor. was ashamed of her because the top thenceforth Mr. Vance was supreme ment of his native State and the 'Pray remove your mask,' I ven- of her head only came about up to west of the Blue Ridge. tured to say at last-first laying his shoulder, poor thing! just as if In Congress he was an active and aside my own. 'I must look upon she could help it! And worse still, watchful member. He took sides the face that mirrors thought so he told her so, heartless fellow !

And then, being mortified a her against secession at the same time 'I fear you will be disappointed,' diminutive appearance, this Blue | warning the country against coershe replied-still, I have nothing beard Longlegs, when he went off cion of the Southern States by force Main St., - Tarboro', N. C. to disguise, and if you will dispell lecturing, took a taller woman with of arms. His appeals for the Union that his contest in the struggle was the illuston under which you labor, him, and left his little wife at home, in Congress, and before the people, the punishment may be your own.' all alone -all alone! Why didn't were carnest and powerful, but The features she exposed were of he take them both? Then the tall when Sumpter was fired upon, like Gorth being against personal punsurpassing loveliness. Just dark woman could have taken the Hay- nearly all the leading Union men of enough to entitle her to be called a pole's arm and the wife could have North Carolina, Badger, Graham, ably discharged. and would ask those who have wheat they brunette, her complexion had that taken the tall woman's arm, and Ruffin, Gilmer, and others, believpearly transparency of which the growling small by degrees and beau- ing in the right of revolution, he purest of blondes can rarely boast. tifully less, they would have consti- cast his lot with his native State, I have on hand near W. E. Suggs' house, Three Hundred Thousand feet of GOOD SEASONED LUMBER, which sell at low retes.

Her eyes sparkled like diamonds, tuted a very passable trio. The contrast would have been less strik- ing because it would not have been does with all his might.

Her eyes sparkled like diamonds, tuted a very passable trio. The contrast would have been less strik- ing because it would not have been does with all his might.

In 1870 he was elected Senator Whatever Mr. Vance does, he does with all his might. He was count of the disabilities imposed by so sudden .- N. Y. Sun.

EX-GOV. Z. B. VANCE.

The subject of this sketch was born in the county of Buncombe, near the seat of justice, Asheville, on the 13th of May, 1830. His ant. His mother's father, Zebulon

His father died when he was quite young. His mother devoted ing and intelligent care which so often distinguish and reward the women of our land.

Her slender means, however, prevented her giving him other education in his boyhood than was afforded by the country schools, in which Pike's Arithmetic and Webster's Elementary Spelling Book, were the chief text books. But young Zeb. with avidity every volume within As I turned, I stood confronted his reach, and being gifted with great quickness and a strong was in a tremor of emotion. I laid memory, in his boyhood began the my hand upon my sword. Perhaps accumulation of the stores of illushe was a rival. As the thought trations and strong apposite diction flashed upon me, I felt aroused with- which have made him conspicuous in me all the rancor of the ancient in his manhood. He had access to House of Moutague, and had the few books, but those were good ones. stranger so much as bitten his Agentleman, fresh from the senior thumt, at me, I should probably class of the university, travelling in have run him through for a Capulet. Buncombe, was amazed at finding As it was, I tore myself from the the superior acquaintance and aptscene, and hastened to my lodgings. ness of quotations from the Bible, A night's sleep measurably res- Shakespeare and Scott's novels, distored my senses. When a man has plated by our half grown and half made a fool of himself over night, educated mountain boy, and twenty-

where he first in the branches to fleeting vision that had crossed my which he devoted himself. He the full measure of its obligation The occasion I selected was that path-a mere adventuress, perhaps. here began the study of law and under the Constition of the Con-Were Pattie Brown and her sub. soon afterwards was admitted to the federacy. At the same time, he stantial fortune to be acrificed for bar. He made Asheville his home was watchful that there should be freedom al. such a phantom? Not by a man in and soon commanded a fair share of no infrigement of the rights of the is sober senses.

Like an awakened prodigal, I tial with the jury, humor and ready resolved to arise and go unto Pattie, eloquence telling well on the mind and have if out with her at once. | of the average mountainear. He I found her alone, and had tells on himself, with much glee, were favora. just begun to repeat for her edfica- the first compliment he received for should be known and remembered finger forth. tion some of the compliments in his forsensic efforts. 'Zeb., if you throughout the civilized world that all during the time when the Conshepherdes the night before. when as lief have you as any old lawyer.' federacy was vainly fighting for life,

> Like most young men of active and ambitious minds, Mr. Vance inquired Pattie, seemingly seeking went early into poliities. He was elected to the Legislature in 1854, where he was one of the most prominent among the young men, being Pattie, with a rougish twinkle in an enthusiastic Henry Clay Whig. His peculiar powers were not fully developed, however, until 1858, when he took the stump in opposition to the late W. W. Avery, as a candidate for the National House of came yesterday to pay us a short Representatives in the Mountain liable, should have on their petition

district. This district had once been Whig. The people, however, were devotedly attached to Thomas J. Clingman, 'As pretty as a girl! exclaimed who for many years represented them in Congress. When Mr. Democratic side, he retained his change of base, carrying the district, 'Yes'- and Pattie's eye twinkled in 1857, by 2,000 majority over his still more-'and one silly fellow, Whig opponent. When, in contricked out as a Romeo, actually sequence of being promoted to the generally thought Mr. Avery, a Vance, then only 28 years old, dishe is now so conspicuous and uneaualled. Quick at repartee, with anecedotes, which he tells Going back of everything else we majority as large as the year before Sherman.

strongly and labored earnestly one of the earliest volunteers,

marching to the seat of war in Virginia as a captain, in May, 1861. It was not long before his promotion came, he having been elected Colonel of the Twenty-sixth Regiment of North Carolina troops, in August, 1861. He was among the brave fighters who drove McClellan to his ships in the James, and ho brought his regiment off safely, when Branch's little army was overwhelmed by Barnside, at Newbern. He shared cheerfully all the hard-

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ships and dangers of his men. He was a faithful and gallant officer, and civilians and soldiers united in the demand that he should be the next Governor of North Carolina. He was chosen by an overwhelming majority in 1862, and two years latee by a similar vote, over the late Governor W. W. Holden.

As Governor of North Carolina in those troublous times, Mr. Vance displayed talents for which even his most ardent admirers had not given him credit. Blessed with a strong frame and hardy constitution, he was able to go through an incredible amount of hard work, mental and physical. He exhibited administrative and executive powers of the highest order. It became his duty to aid the Confederate Govseument in securing and maintaining in its armies the military contingent of North Carolina. It was likewise his duty to assist, as commander-in-chief of the militia, in repelling invasion of its territory. It was his province to execute largely the functions of a war minister. and when the full history of the war shall be written, it will be found that he excelled all Southern Governors in vigor and ability in these regards. He kept his State up to

In the midst of the very death struggles of the war, he insisted that the millitary should be subordinate to the civil powers. It the great privilege of the writ of habeas corpus was never suspended. North Carolina had Judges firm enough to issue that great writ, and a Governor brave enough to enforce its mandates, in the midst of conscript camps, even in the lines of troops drawn up in order of battle. While Mr. Vance took care that there should be no skulkers or deserters among those liable under the conscript law, he took equal care that all who claimed they were not an impartial hearing before a judi-

cial officer. It was by his efforts likewise, that supplies of clothing and other needfal articles were regularly imported from England through the blockading squadron at Wilmington. All during 1863 and 1864 the departure and arrival of The Advance, were watched for with breathless interest by the soldiers of North Carolina, whose wants the Confederate Government could not sup . ply. And when in the excitement during the trial of Wirz for bad treatment of Federal prisoners, an ! effort was made by the enemies of Mr. Vance to connect him with the sufferings at the Salisbury prison, an examination showed that he had been active in alleviating those

During 1864 there sprang up in North Carolina a reactionary party, headed by Holden and others, composed of those who despaired of the success of the Confederacy. But Gov. Vance took the ground that with happy humor, able to pass at the power of making peace had will from mirth-moving fun to in- been devolved on that government The legal questions in the Tilton- vective, eloquence and pathos, by and that any separate State action the people.' He was elected by a surrender of Gen. Johnson to Gen.

He now laid down his high office with dignity, concious that he had done his best, and that the defeat dignity and glory of the Union.

He was arrested after the close ment at Washington, on account of his prominence in the struggle, but on examination of his letter books and other documents it was found ishment for treason, he was honor-

Gov. Vance then returned to the practice of his profession, making Charlotte his home.

In 1870 he was elected Senator [CONTINUED ON FOURTH PAGE]



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